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P.O. Box 1450  
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PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents:

Applicants herewith petition the Commissioner of Patents under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for an additional two month extension of time for filing the response to the Examiner's Final Office Action of April 7, 2005. A previous petition for a one month extension of time was submitted with the requisite fee of \$120 on August 8, 2005, and this amount is therefore deducted from the total fee due for the three months of extension now requested. Thus, the extension fee due with this request is \$900. Submitted herewith is a check in the amount of \$1,400, which includes \$900 to cover the cost of the extension.

The Director is authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 19-1090.

Respectfully submitted,

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